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CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION
HOME DEPARTMENT

Notification

The 28th October, 2025

No. 482752-HIII(2)-2025/14792.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, Notification No.2506(E) dated 28.06.2024 and in order to implement Sections 105, 173, 176, 180, 185 and 497 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 read with Section 530 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (46 of 2023) and Section 63 of the Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023 (47 of 2023) and for electronic management of evidence (eSakshya) during investigation in criminal proceedings and trial, the Administrator, UT Chandigarh in consultation with Hon'ble High Court of Punjab & Haryana, hereby frames the following rules, namely :-

1. Short title and commencement.-

a) These rules may be called the Union Territory Chandigarh (eSakshya) Management Rules, 2025.

b) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Definitions.

(1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-

a) "CCTNS" means Crime and Criminals Tracking Network and Systems, a system software used by the Police for the collection of data and execution of instructions;

b) "CIS" means Case Information System, used by the District Judiciary and High Courts for the collection of data and execution of instructions;

c) "eSign" means authentication of any electronic record by a subscriber or court, by means of the electronic technique specified in the Second Schedule of the Information Technology Act, 2000 (21 of 2000) and includes digital signature. Also, when a process or report generated in electronic form is authenticated by means of electronic signature, it shall be deemed to be authenticated by signature of the person who affixed the electronic signature;

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d) “Hash Value” refers to a unique digital fingerprint at an electronic record, used to verify its authenticity and integrity, ensuring that the data presented in Court matches the original;

e) "High Court" means the High Court of Punjab and Haryana, Chandigarh;

f) “Immutable storage” means and include Digi-locker and any other storage method where once data is written, it cannot be modified, deleted, or overwritten for a set or indefinite period, ensuring data integrity and compliance.

g) "ICJS" shall mean Inter-operable Criminal Justice System, a software presently in operation for transfer of information among various pillars of criminal justice system, which includes investigating agencies, courts, correctional homes, forensic laboratories, prosecution and any other stakeholder as notified by the central government;

h) "Investigating Officer" means any police officer or any other person authorized by a competent authority or empowered to undertake investigation for any offence;

i) "Sakshya" means any evidence collected/ recorded as a document through eSakshya Mobile Application of the National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India or any other application developed and maintained for this purpose by the State Government or the National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India from time to time. Sakshya consists of audio-video recording(s), photograph(s), audio-video recording(s), and photograph(s) of the investigating/ recording officer or a person whose statement is recorded during investigation. All evidence recorded through eSakshya Mobile Application shall generate a secure packet of the event (hereinafter referred to as ‘eSakshya Packet') with a unique ID called SID, a unique 16 digit ID (SID) with opening, closing time stamp and geo-location. Each SID and its contents will have unique hash value to ensure integrity. Sakshya will be stored in immutable storage;

j) "Sanhita" means the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (46 of 2023).

(3) Words and expressions used, but not defined in these rules shall have the same meaning as assigned to them in the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (46 of 2023); the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (45 of 2023); the Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023 (47 of 2023) and the Information Technology Act, 2000 (21 of 2000).

(4) During trial, appeal and other criminal judicial proceedings, the e-Sakshya packet will be accessible to the concerned Court through the CIS application/Sakshya portal on ICJS.

(5) Every Investigating Officer shall record all audio-video recording (s) and photograph(s) evidence as required under sections 105, 173, 176, 180, 185 and 497 of the Sanhita through the eSakshya Mobile Application of the National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India or any other application developed and maintained for this purpose by the

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State Government or the National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India from time to time.

(6) Investigating Officer shall generate a certificate under section 63 (4) (c) Part A of the Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023 (47 of 2023) through the eSakshya Mobile Application of the National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India or any other application. developed and maintained for this purpose by the State Government or the National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India from time to time. All Certificates shall be eSigned by the investigating officer. The certificate shall include the hash value of the electronic record and the specific algorithm used to generate that hash value, as prescribed in the Schedule of the Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023.

(7) Investigating Officer shall link SID with the concerned FIR number/ GD number generated through CCTNS or any other application developed and maintained for this purpose by the State Government or the National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India from time to time.

(8) The Sakshya uploaded to immutable storage shall be construed to be forwarded to Magistrate as required under section 105 and 185 of the Sanhita.

(9) The courts may share Sakshya with accused and the victim (if represented by an advocate) as per the provisions under section 230 of the Sanhita. The e-Sakshya packet will be shared through electronic means (Portal or PEN drive) only upon specific directions of the Court.

(10) The judicial officer dealing with the case can access the e-Sakshya packet as per the process presently embedded with the CIS, which includes provisions for temporary assignment of cases during leave or transfer of the officer.

(11) eSakshya packet will be archived after completion of all proceedings in the trial courts. It will be moved to a dedicated archival storage, which can be retrieved within a period of 5 days upon orders from the concerned court.

(12) Nothing in these rules shall be deemed to limit the power of the Courts to view the Sakshya by the Court.

(13) These rules shall be in addition to, not in derogation of any other law or rules for time being in force for accepting and managing Sakshya by the Court in terms of the provisions of Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023 (47 of 2023).

(*By order and in the name of the Administrator, Union Territory, Chandigarh)*

Dated Chandigarh,
The 25th October, 2025

H. RAJESH PRASAD,
Chief Secretary,
UT Chandigarh.

CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Notification

The 29th October, 2025

No. MOH/C&D/2025/14013.—Whereas, the draft "The Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dogs Bye-laws, 2023 was published inviting suggestions/ comments from persons likely to be affected thereby, before the expiry of the 30 days period from the date of publication, in supersession of "The Chandigarh Registration of Pet Dogs Bye-laws, 2010" and its amendments, as approved by the General House of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh.

And whereas, copy of the said draft was made available to public on 07.02.2025 as it was uploaded on the official website of Municipal Corporation along with publication in the three leading newspapers.

And whereas, the objections or comments received within the stipulated period were duly considered by the committee constituted for this very purpose.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under subsection (1) of section 401 read with section 325 and section 399 (J)(6) of the Punjab Municipal Corporation Act as extended to the Union Territory Chandigarh by the Punjab Municipal Corporation Law (Extension to Chandigarh) Act, 1994 (Act No. 45 of 1994), the Administrator, Union Territory, Chandigarh is hereby pleased to notify "The Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dogs Bye-laws, 2025" in supersession of "The Chandigarh Registration of Pet Dogs Bye-laws, 2010" and its amendments, as approved by the General House of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh, for the information of the general public and other stakeholders.

Draft Bye-laws

1. Short title:- (i) These Bye-laws may be called "The Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dogs Bye-laws, 2025."

(ii) These shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Gazette of Chandigarh Administration.

2. Definitions.- In these bye-laws, unless the context otherwise requires-

a) "Act" means the Punjab Municipal Corporation Act 1976 as extended to the Union Territory, Chandigarh by the Punjab Municipal Corporation Law (Extension to Chandigarh) Act, 1994 (Act No. 45 of 1994).

b) "Appellate Authority" means the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh

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or any officer authorized by the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh to exercise the power of appellate authority.

c) "ARV" means Anti-Rabies vaccine to save dog(s) from Rabies disease.

d) "AWBI or Animal Welfare Board of India" means, a statutory body established under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1960.

e) "AWO (Animal Welfare Organization)/Non-Government Organization (NGO)" means any organization or society registered under the Animal Welfare Board of India (AWBI)/the Societies Registration Act, 1860, or any other law for the time being in force, and working for the welfare and protection of animals.

f) "Care giver/occasional feeder" means those persons who are not registered as a volunteers /dog lovers, occasionally feed and take care of community dogs and owners less dogs.

g) "Community dog(s)" means any dog(s) that are collectively owned by the community. These may be local Indian dogs or abandoned pedigree dogs that are homeless, living on the street or within gated campus/enclosed compounds.

h) "Dangerous/aggressive dog(s)" means any dog(s) known to cause harm to humans/other animals or any property of a human being.

i) "DHPPiL" means vaccine that saves dog(s) from several diseases such as *Canine Distemper Virus (CDV), Canine Adenovirus type 1 (ICH), Canine Parvovirus (CPV), Canine Parainfluenza virus (CPi) and Leptospirosis.*

j) "Dog Groomers" means any person who provides his/her services for grooming and bathing pet dog(s).

k) "Dog Hostels/Crèches" means any establishment/place where dog(s) owners can pay to have their dog(s) looked after while they are away.

l) "Dog Trainers" means any person qualified from any recognized institution or University with Certification of the same and experienced in training dog(s) for docile behaviour etc.

m) "Dog Walker" means any person who takes the dog(s) for morning or evening walks.

n) "Dwelling" means a place of residence where a person or family lives such as house, apartment or other habitable structure and where a pet dog(s) is kept.

o) "Family" means the people living in the same household as the owner of the pet dog including dog's primary owner, their spouse, children, sibling, parents or long-term cohabitants i.e., roommates or caretakers.

p) "Ferocious Dog" means any dog which, without provocation, has attached bitten or otherwise threaten the safety of a person or another animal in a manner that could cause injury or death.

q) "Form" means a form appended to these Bye-laws.

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r) "House" means a building or part of building used as residence by individual/separate family or household.

s) "Household" means all people living together at the same residential address regardless of their relationship who have responsibility for or interact with the dog own.

t) "Indie" Short of indigenous (mixed) breeds, refers to dogs which are largely a result of cross breeding/inbreeding of native breeds, exhibiting a mix of multiple breeds with some common genetic traits shared with indigenous Indian breeds or other breeds of native Indian pedigree.

u) "Impounding" means the placement of a dog into a shelter or holding facility due to it being found straying or in violation of these Bye-Laws.

v) "Leash" means a physical restraint, such as a rope or chain that limits the movement of a pet dog.

w) "Litter" means disposable waste materials such as plastic packets, empty food containers, wrappers, and bottles that are often left behind at designated dog feeding spots. These items are typically discarded by individuals feeding stray or community dogs. Since dogs may not consume all of the food at once or may leave portions uneaten, the leftover food (not considered as litter) and associated packaging contribute to unsanitary conditions. This accumulation of waste not only creates a public nuisance but also poses health and environmental hazards to both humans and animals. Proper disposal of feeding-related waste and use of eco-friendly containers is strongly encouraged to maintain cleanliness in public spaces.

x) "Menacing Dog" is a dog that shows threatening behavior, such as growling, longing or chasing people, animals or vehicles without being provoked and has a history of aggression or attacks.

y) "Mongrel dog" means a mixed breed dog that does not belong to a specific recognized breed and is typically the result of natural (non-selective) breeding between different types of dogs. Unlike pure breed/designer dog (selective breeding), mongrels do not have a known pedigree/lineage.

z) "Nuisance Dog" is a dog that frequently roams away from its owner's property or damages property not belonging to the owner thus causing disturbance to the neighbors

aa) "Offence" means any act or omission made punishable by any law for the time being.

ab) "Owner" means a person who possess, keeps and harbors the dog(s) and/or has it in his/her custody and one who allows the dog(s) to remain in/about the dwelling occupied by him/her. Where the owner is a minor, the parent, guardian or head of the household is the owner of the dog(s).

ac) "Pet Breeders" means any person who keeps dog(s) for breeding and trading and maintains such activities in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws. The

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activities of a "Pet Breeder" may include, but are not limited to, the selective breeding of dogs, the sale or exchange of puppies, and related transactions for financial gain.

ad) "Pet dog(s)" means a male or female dog(s) kept by a person within the area of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh.

ae) "Pet Shop Keeper/Owner" means any person who keeps different types of animals for trading purposes in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws.

af) "Poop Scoop" means a device used to pick up and dispose of a pet dog(s) excrement.

ag) "Public Place" means any place accessible to/used by the public, including but not limited to parks, roads, sidewalks, and other common areas.

ah) "Registration Authority" means the Medical Officer of Health, Municipal Corporation Chandigarh or any officer appointed by the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh for the registration purpose.

ai) "Rescue" refers to a previously homeless/shelter held all breed (pedigree/indie) dog rehabilitated through adoption after having been abused (neglected) or abandoned by previous family.

aj) "Running at Large" is a dog found in a public place or on someone else's private property without the consent of the property owner and not restrained or controlled by its owner or handler.

ak) "SAWB (State Animal Welfare Board) is a governmental body established by a state to promote animal welfare, prevent cruelty, and ensure the well-being of animals within that state.

al) "Volunteer/Dog Lover" means a registered volunteer/dog lover as per these bye- laws.

am) The words and expressions not defined in these bye-laws shall have the same meaning as assigned to them in the Punjab Municipal Corporation Act 1976, as extended to the Union Territory, Chandigarh by the Punjab Municipal Corporation Law (Extension to Chandigarh) Act. 1994.

3. Registration and its Renewal and Procedure: The registration of Pet dog(s) (hereinafter mentioned as dog(s)) above the age of four months, kept within the jurisdiction of Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh, shall be compulsory.

a) The owner shall apply for the registration of dog(s) to the Registration Authority in a Form as per ***Schedule-A*** *along with an Undertaking,* as prescribed by the

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Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh accompanied by a fee of Rs. 500/- per dog(s), two recent photographs of the dog(s) — one showing the head/face from the front and the other a side view of the standing dog clearly indicating its distinctive features and a copy of vaccination certificate duly attested from a Government or Private Veterinary Practitioner duly registered with the Indian Veterinary Council (IVC) or State Veterinary Council (SVC), as soon as the vaccination is completed to avoid any penalty if dog(s) found unregistered. However, a blind person keeping dog(s) and using solely for his/her guidance shall be exempted from the payment of the registration fee.

b) On registration, the Registration Authority shall issue a metal token which is to be attached to the collar to be worn by the dog(s), and in case of the loss or destruction of the token, a duplicate token shall be issued to the owner on submission of an application along with a fee of Rs. 500/- per token. The registration once made shall remain valid for a period of Five Years. The registration need to be renewed after every 5 years with the duly attested vaccination record of previous years from a Government or Private Veterinary Practitioner duly registered with the Indian Veterinary Council (IVC) or State Veterinary Council (SVC), along with a fee of Rs. 50/- per dog *as per prescribed form in* ***Schedule-B***. In the case of the death of the dog(s), the owner of the dog(s) shall immediately inform the Registration Authority *as per prescribed form in* ***Schedule-C***.

c) In case to register the third/fourth dog(s), which must be an Adopted Mongrel/Indie dog, the owner shall apply for the registration to the Registration Authority in a form, as prescribed in **Schedule-A**, along with an undertaking as prescribed by the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh accompanied by a fee of Rs. 50/- per dog(s)**,**along with two recent photographs of the dog(s) — one showing the head/face from the front and the other a side view of the standing dog clearly indicating its distinctive features and a copy of vaccination certificate duly attested from a Government or Private Veterinary Practitioner duly registered with the Indian Veterinary Council (IVC) or State Veterinary Council (SVC).In addition to this, the owner can get his/her dog(s) sterilized from the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh's Animal Birth Control Programme at no cost. The registration needs to be renewed every 5 years with the vaccination record of previous years along with a fee of Rs.50/- per dog. In the case of the death of the dog(s), the owner

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of the dog(s) shall immediately inform the Registration Authority *as per prescribed form in* ***Schedule-C***.

d) A family may keep as many dogs as per the limit prescribed in the table below. If dogs over than the prescribed limit are found to be kept in a house by a family, then the unregistered dog(s) will be impounded, and a penalty shall be imposed on the owner.

Sr. No.	**Area/size of accommodation/house**	**No. of permissible dogs**
1.	≤ 5 marla houses	1 dog per house (subject to a maximum of 3 dogs per house in case of separate households on independent floors i.e. 1 dog per household).
2.	> 5 marla houses to ≤ 12 marla houses	2 dogs per house (subject to a maximum of 3 dogs per house in case of separate households on independent floors i.e. 1 dog per household).
3.	> 12 marla houses to ≤ 1 kanal houses	3 dogs (out of which one must be an adopted Mongrel/Indie dog) subject to a maximum of 05 dogs per house in case of separate households on independent floors. In case of 2 households any family keeps more than 2 dogs, the extras must be adopted Mongrel/Indie dog and in case of 3 households any family keeps more than 1 dog, the extras must be adopted Mongrel/Indie dog.
4.	> 1 kanal	4 dogs (out of which two must be adopted Mongrel/Indie dog) subject to a maximum of 06 dogs per house in case of separate households on independent floors. In case of 2 households any family keeps more than 2 dogs, the extras must be adopted Mongrel/Indie dog and in case of 3 households any family keeps more than 1 dog, the extras must be adopted Mongrel/Indie dog.

(>) More than; (≤) Less than and equal to

4. Obligation of Owner: The owner of registered dog(s) shall be required:

(a) To keep the dog(s) protected by getting it vaccinated with Anti-Rabies and *DHPPiL* or any other vaccination as prescribed from a Government or Private Veterinary Practitioner duly registered with the Indian Veterinary Council (IVC) or State Veterinary Council (SVC). The vaccination certificate shall be furnished on demand during inspection by the Registration Authority or any officer/official of the Municipal Corporation duly

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authorized by the Registration Authority or within a period of 10 days from such inspection, by the owner of the dog(s) failing which registration of the dog(s) shall be canceled.

(b) To keep the dog(s) chained/leashed (not longer than 1.5-2.0 meters) while taking them outside. All ferocious dog(s) shall be duly muzzled and a stick shall be carried by the person accompanying the dog(s) while taking them out. Dog(s) with aggressive behaviour shall be trained through dog trainers registered with Municipal Corporation Chandigarh to avoid any unwanted incidents.

(c) To ensure that the dog(s) wear a collar affixed with the metal token issued by the Registration Authority, at all the times.

(d) To compensate the person if a dog bites or causes any other harm to any person or to the property of any person.

(e) Pet dog(s) Owners must ensure that the dog walker knows how to keep dog(s) in control and has knowledge about these bye-laws. If any violation is committed by a dog walker, penal action as mentioned in these bye-laws shall be taken against the dog(s) owner.

(f) Pet dog(s) owner must ensure ***Five Freedoms for Animals*** as notified by Animal Welfare Board of India (AWBI), Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying, Government of India which are as under:-

i. **Freedom from thirst, hunger, and malnutrition:** Ensuring animals have continuous access to fresh water and a balanced diet to maintain full health and vigor.

ii. **Freedom from discomfort and exposure:** Providing animals with appropriate shelter and a comfortable resting area to protect them from environmental conditions.

iii. **Freedom from pain, injury, and disease:** Preventing or rapidly diagnosing and treating illnesses and injuries to minimize suffering.

iv. **Freedom from fear and distress:** Ensuring conditions and treatment that avoid mental suffering, allowing animals to live without undue stress.

v. **Freedom to express normal behavior:** Providing sufficient space, proper facilities, and companionship to allow animals to exhibit natural behaviors

5. Prohibition at certain places: The owner of the dog(s) shall not take the dog(s) to the area of the Sukhna Lake, Rose Garden, Shanti Kunj, Rock Garden, Leisure Valley, Bougainvillea Garden, Chandigarh Botanical Garden Sarangpur and other public places/gardens as notified by the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh, from time to time.

6. Liability of owner to pay compensation or damages: The owner of the registered dog(s) shall keep the dog(s) under his/her control at all times so that they do not intimidate, annoy, hurt, or bite any person. The Municipal Corporation shall not be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury caused by a registered dog(s) to any person or their property, and the sole liability to compensate the victim, if required, shall remain with the owner of the registered dog(s). The dog(s) shall be impounded for observation of behavior and penalty shall be imposed on the owner.

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7. Prohibition against breeding for Commercial or Trading purposes: The breeding of dog(s) for commercial purposes and trading of dog(s) within the area of Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh shall not be permitted except for registered pet breeders and registered pet shop keepers/owners in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws. In case it is found that dog(s) are being kept for breeding or trading/commercial purposes by any person or unregistered pet breeder/pet shop owner, the Registration Authority shall impound such dog(s) besides imposing the fine as per these bye-laws.

8. Prohibition against Open Defecation in Public Places: No person shall permit their pet dog(s) to defecate in any public place, including but not limited to residential areas, green belts, parks, streets, roads, road berms, and other common areas, except within their own premises. In the event that the dog(s) defecates in a public space, *the owner/walker shall scoop up the excrement of the dog(s) and place it in a "poop bag" and dispose of the waste via proper disposal method/equipment. In case of failure to do so, a penalty will be imposed over the owner.* The owner of the dog(s) shall take his/her dog(s) to defecate in isolated areas not frequently visited by the residents and other members of the public. No owner shall allow the dog(s) to defecate near the residences of other persons, causing annoyance to them.

All pet owners or persons keeping any dog(s) shall maintain the premises in which the dog(s) is housed in a clean and sanitary condition at all times, so as to prevent any health hazard, nuisance, or foul odour that may cause discomfort or offence to neighbors or persons passing by.

9. Compliance with Statutory Provisions of Other Laws: The owner of the registered dog(s), pet shop keepers/owners, pet breeders, and owners of dog(s) Hostel/crèches shall ensure proper space, accommodation, food and medical treatment for the dog(s)/animals/pets as per the applicable guidelines issued under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Act, 1960 or any other applicable law.

10. Maintain the Proper Register: The Registration Authority or an officer/official authorized by it shall keep the details of all the seized dog(s) duly entered in a register with a brief description of the dog(s), date of seizure/impound, reasons of seizure/impound and the manner in which it is dealt with shall be recorded.

11. Provision regarding Burial and Cremation: The dog(s), after its death, shall not be thrown in the open or in the garbage bins of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh. In case of non-compliance with the same, a penalty shall be imposed as per the Schedule VIII. Dead dog(s) shall be buried at a crematorium or individually owned places via Deep Burial Method, up to a depth of at least 3 ft., and covered with lime and salt in a hygienic manner or through Incinerator.

12. Registration of Volunteers/dog lovers/NGOs: Volunteers/dog lovers/NGOs shall register themselves with the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh by submitting the details as per **Schedule-I**. Only Volunteers/dog lovers/NGOs registered with the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh or AWBI will be collaborated in any programs/services/assistance required for the well-being of Community dogs. Unregistered persons/organizations will not be entertained. Any breach of the norms set forth by AWBI or under these byelaws, and any decisions related thereto, shall be subject to the prescribed consequences and enforcement.

13. Registration of Pet breeders: Pet breeders shall register themselves with the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh by submitting the details as per **Schedule-II**. The said business shall be carried out in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws. Pet Breeders operating within the municipal limits of Chandigarh shall adhere to the provisions outlined in the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Dog Breeding and Marketing) Rules, 2017, as amended from time to time.

14. Registration of Pet Shop Keeper/Owner: Pet Shop Keeper/Owner shall register themselves with the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh by submitting the details as per **Schedule-III**. The said business shall be carried out in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws. Pet shops operating within the municipal limits of Chandigarh shall adhere to the provisions outlined in the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Pet Shop) Rules, 2018, as amended from time to time.

15. Registration of Dog Trainers: Dog Trainers shall register themselves with the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh by submitting the details as per **Schedule-IV**. The said business shall be carried out in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws.

16. Registration of Dog Hostels/Crèches: The owners of Dog hostels/crèches shall register themselves with Municipal Corporation Chandigarh by submitting the details as per **Schedule-V**. The said business shall be carried out in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws.

17. Registration of Dog Groomers: Dog Groomers shall register themselves with the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh by submitting the details as per **Schedule-VI**. The said business shall be carried out in accordance with the applicable rules/bye-laws.

18. Designated Feeding Spots for Community Dogs:

(1) The Municipal Corporation Chandigarh through its authorized official(s) in coordination with concerned stakeholders shall designate appropriate places and timings for the feeding of community dogs within their respective localities, in accordance with Section 20, Sub-section (1) (i) and (ii) of the Animal Birth Control Rules, 2023.

The reserved feeding areas should be:

- Away from play areas of children, entry and exit points and stairways
- In the least-used areas by children and elderly
- Away from high-traffic areas, playing areas or walking routes for dogs

The feeding spots identified and approved by the authorized officials of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh in coordination with concerned stakeholders, shall be considered final and binding, and must be adhered to by all concerned.

(2) Whoever throws eatables in public place, other than those designated by the Municipal Corporation and thereby enticing Community dogs to assemble at such place for taking eatables which result in causing danger to human life or to be likely to cause injury or annoyance to the public or to the people in general or to cause hindrance in smooth running of vehicular traffic, shall be deemed to be guilty of offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.

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19. Responsibility of care giver/occasional feeder:

(1) It is responsibility of the caregivers/ occasional feeders to ensure that feeding of community dogs and owner less dogs occurs at place designated by the Municipal Corporation and to ensure cleanliness i.e. to avoid any littering during feeding of dogs.

(2) Whoever throws eatables in public place, other than those designated by the Municipal Corporation, thereby enticing Community dogs causing danger to human life likely injury annoyance to the public and or hindrance in smooth vehicular traffic, shall be deemed to be guilty of offence. They will be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.

20. Provision for Banning Aggressive/Dangerous Dog(s): For the safety of Public/Society or other living beings the certain breeds of dogs considered as Aggressive/Potentially Aggressive/Dangerous are hereby banned within the jurisdiction of Municipal Corporation Chandigarh as mentioned below:-

Sr.No.	Dog(s) Breeds
1.	American Bull Dog
2.	American Pitbull/Pitbull Terrier
3.	Bull Terrier/Pakistani Bull Terrier
4.	Cane Corso
5.	Dogo Argentino
6.	Rottweiler
7.	Any Cross of above mentioned breeds.

*****The Commissioner Municipal Corporation Chandigarh reserves the right to modify the list from time to time.***

a) Above banned dog breeds shall not be registered after due notification of these bye-laws. However, a buffer period of 45 days shall be allowed for existing owners to register their dogs. After this period, any Owner, Pet breeder, Pet Shopkeeper/owner found breeding, keeping, or harboring these banned breeds will be subject to penalties as per the bye-laws, including immediate seizure of the dog(s) by authorized authorities.

b) This clause shall not be applicable for the dog owners who already have any of these dogs duly registered with Municipal Corporation before due notification of these bye-laws. However, such dog owners need to ensure their dog(s) are muzzled at all times during walking and leashed with equipment strong enough to keep the dog(s) under control to avoid any accident. It is advised to get such dog(s) trained through Dog trainers registered with Municipal Corporation Chandigarh for docile/controlled behavior to avoid any unwanted incident.

c) Any Owner/Pet Shopkeeper/Pet Breeder, Keeping/Breeding/Harboring any dog(s) of above banned breeds by their actual or other name shall be liable to be punished as per these bye-laws and the dog(s) shall be impounded by the Registration Authority or officials authorized by Registration Authority.

21. Power to Inspect Premises: The Registration Authority, including a Veterinarian, Health Supervisor, Chief Sanitary Inspector, Sanitary Inspector or any other officer of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority, may inspect the premises of the owner of any dog(s). This shall allow the authorized person to enter and inspect his/her

premises at all reasonable times. This officer/official shall also have authority to search the places where dog(s) are kept without registration and to seize them.

22. Power to impound: The Municipal Corporation shall have the authority to impound any pet dog found unattended at any residence causing nuisance through excessive barking, howling or left fastened unsupervised for extended periods, as well as any dog(s) wandering in public places without supervision or control. The penalty shall be imposed upon the owner of the dog as per **Schedule-VIII**. Any pet dog(s) found straying at large shall be liable to be impound and kept at a place set apart for this purpose. The dog(s) shall be kept in the ABC Centre for a maximum of 10 days. During this period, the owner may claim the dog(s) by paying a fine and maintenance fee. If the owner does not claim the dog(s) within the stipulated time, the registration shall be canceled and the dog(s) shall be sterilized and put up for adoption through registered Volunteers/NGO's **(Schedule-VII)**. In case the Pet dog(s) is lost, immediate information must be provided to the Dog Control Cell of Municipal Corporation Chandigarh. In the event of impounding of a registered dog(s), the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh shall conduct an inquiry into the capability of the owner to ensure proper care, welfare, and supervision of the dog. The owner shall be awarded an opportunity of being heard. If, upon such inquiry, the owner is found to be incapable or negligent in providing necessary care, further proceedings, including but not limited to permanent seizure, cancellation of registration, or other penal action, may be initiated in accordance with the provisions of these bye-laws or other relevant laws/Rules.

23. <u>Penalty</u>:

a) An owner violating these bye-laws shall be liable to be punished by the Registration Authority with a fine, ranging from Rs. 20/- to Rs. 13,400/- (Penalty as per SWM Rules mandated from time to time) as stipulated in the **Schedule-VIII**. Penalties for multiple violations shall be summed up and for continuing violations, an additional fine may extend to Rs. 20/-per day. If the dog(s) is seized/detained, the owner must pay maintenance charges @ Rs. 250/- per day to claim the dog(s). However, if the breach continues beyond 10 days or the dog(s) is not claimed within 10 days, the registration shall be canceled by the Registration Authority and the seized dog(s) shall be put up for Adoption through registered Volunteers/NGO **(Schedule-VII)**.

b) If an owner of dog(s), Volunteers, Dog Lovers, NGO's, Pet Breeders, Pet Shop Keepers, Dog Hostels/Crèches, Dog Trainers & Dog Groomers whosoever violates any of the conditions of these bye-laws at least four times in a calendar year, shall be liable to pay penalty as stipulated in the **Schedule-VIII**.

c) If a pet dog(s) causes harm to someone or damages someone's property, the pet owner may face legal action under the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.

d) If any dog bite is caused by the pet dogs, the owner/Dog Hostel owner/Pet breeder/Pet Shop Keeper shall be liable to pay the compensation to the victim. The liability to pay compensation is without prejudice to any other action which may be taken under the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.

e) Volunteers, Dog Lovers, NGOs, Pet Breeders, Pet Shop Keepers, Dog Hostels/Crèches, Dog Trainers & Dog Groomers, who violate these bye-laws shall be liable to pay penalties as stipulated in **Schedule-VIII**.

24. Cancellation of Registration and Adoption: Any dog(s) unclaimed by the owner after impounding due to any violation of the *"The Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dogs Bye-laws, 2025"*, by the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh within the stipulated time period i.e. 10 days, shall have its registration canceled if registered and it will

become the property of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh and the said authority will sterilize the dog(s) and put them up for adoption through Volunteers/Dog Lovers/NGOs duly registered with AWBI/AWOs and/or the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh by submitting the details as per **Schedule-VII**.

25. Appeal against cancellation of registration: Any owner aggrieved by the cancellation order issued by the Registration Authority may file an appeal before the appellate authority within a period of 30 days from the date of the issuance of the cancellation order. The decision of the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation Chandigarh shall be final and binding.

26. Rendering assistance to Registration Authority: The registered volunteers/dog lovers/NGO's/Pet Breeders/pet shopkeepers/dog groomers/dog trainers shall render their assistance to the registration authority under the Animal Birth Control Programme for sterilization, vaccination and de-worming of community dogs as and when required.

27. Final and Binding Authority: The Commissioner of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh is the final and binding authority to resolve any issues that may arise either of interpretation or of any other kind, which are not explicitly addressed by these bye-laws, including any need to amend these bye-laws in the future.

28. Compensation: In case of any injury caused by any community dog, the compensation shall be decided by the "Chandigarh Stray Animal incident/accident Compensation Committee" constituted by the Chandigarh Administration.

29. Saving: Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this bye-law, any action taken or proceedings initiated under The Chandigarh Registration of Pet Dogs Bye-laws, 2010, shall continue to be valid and enforceable as if they had been taken or initiated under this bye- law.

30. Repeal: The bye-laws issued vide notification No. 6/1/373-FII(8)-2009/4543 dated 07.06.2010 named The Chandigarh Registration of Pet Dogs Bye-laws, 2010, and its subsequent amendments are hereby repealed.

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Schedule-A

Pet Dog Registration Form
(In 2 pages)

To

The Medical Officer of Health
Municipal Corporation
Chandigarh

Attach two recent passport size photographs of Pet dog - one showing the head/face from the front and the other a side view of the standing dog clearly indicating its distinctive features.

Subject: Application for registration of Pet dog.

Sir,

This is to request you that I am keeping a Pet dog in my House No……...,Sector/Area……..…… Chandigarh. Size/area of accommodation (along with copy of proof) ..... Aadhaar Card of the applicant:……(attach photocopy).

The particulars of my pet dog are as under:

1. Name of Pet dog :_____
2. Gender-male/Female :_____
3. Breed :_____
4. Colour and identification mark :_____
5. Age (Date of Birth, if any) :_____
6. Immunization record (attach photocopy) :_____

(By mentioning each vaccination with date &sign/stamp of Veterinary Doctor)

7. Name of Veterinary Doctor :_____

Address: :_____

Veterinary Council Registration No. :_____

Signature of the Veterinary Doctor :_____

Stamp of Veterinary Doctor :_____

I herewith deposit Rs. 500/- in cash. You are requested to register my pet dog. Pedigree Dogs ☐
I herewith deposit Rs. 50/- in cash. You are requested to register my pet dog. Indie/Mongrel ☐

Registration no(s). of dog(s) already registered (if any) :_____

Date:_____

Signature of the Applicant
Name: _____

Mobile No.: _____

For Office Use Only:

Receipt No.: _____

Date: _____ _____

Badge No. allotted to dog: _____ Signature & Stamp of Issuing Officer of MC Chd.

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Undertaking from the owner of the dog for registration

1. I do not have dogs more than the prescribed limit in the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dogs Bye-laws, 2025 (including adopted Mongrel/Indie dog).
2. I shall keep the dog(s) protected by ensuring they are vaccinated with Anti-Rabies and *DHPPiL* or any other vaccination as prescribed from Government or Private Veterinary practitioner duly registered with the Indian Veterinary Council (IVC) or State Veterinary Council (SVC).
3. I will furnish the vaccination certificate upon demand during inspection by Registration Authority or any officer/official of the Municipal Corporation duly authorized by the Registration Authority, failing which the registration of the dog(s) may be canceled.
4. I will keep the dog(s) chained/leashed while taking them outside. All ferocious dog(s) will be duly muzzled and a stick will be carried by the person accompanying the dog(s) while taking them out.
5. I will ensure that the dog(s) wear(s) a collar affixed with the metal token issued by the Registration Authority, at all the times.
6. I will compensate any person if a dog(s) bites or causes any other harm to any person or their property.
7. I will not take the dog(s) to the area of the Sukhna Lake, Rose Garden, Shanti Kunj, Rock Garden, Leisure Valley, Bougainvillea Garden, Chandigarh Botanical Garden Sarangpur and other public places/gardens as specified by the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation Chandigarh from time to time.
8. I shall keep the dog(s) under my control at all times, so that they do not intimidate, annoy, hurt or bite any person. I shall not hold the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh responsible for any loss, damage or injury caused by dog(s) under my ownership to any person or to their property and the sole liability to compensate the victim will remain with me.
9. I shall not engage in breeding of dog(s) for any purposes and trading of dog(s) within the area under jurisdiction of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh. In case it is found that dog(s) is being kept for breeding or trading /commercial purposes by me, the Registration Authority shall impound my dog(s) besides imposing a fine as fixed by the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh upon me.
10. I shall not allow the dog(s) to defecate in public places such as residential areas, green belts, parks, streets, roads, road beams and other common places etc. In case the dog(s) defecates at the above specified places, I shall arrange to get the excreta of the dog(s) removed from the said place at my own level. I shall take my dog(s) to defecate in the isolated areas which are not frequently visited by the residents and other members of the public. I shall not allow the dog(s) to defecate near the residences of other persons, neighbors to avoid annoyance.
11. I shall ensure Five Freedoms as specified in the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dogs Bye-laws, 2025 for the dog(s).
12. I shall allow the Registration Authority or a veterinarian, Health Supervisor, Chief Sanitary Inspector, Sanitation Inspector or any other officer of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority to inspect the documents or my dog(s) and I shall allow that person to inspect my premises at all reasonable times.
13. In case my dog(s) is impounded, I will get it released through official process, within the stipulated time. Otherwise, I will not object to the actions taken by the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh.

Signatures of owner of the pet dog

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Schedule-B

(Pet Dog Registration Renewal Form)

To

The Medical Officer of Health
Municipal Corporation
Chandigarh

Attach two recent passport size photographs of Pet dog - one showing the head/face from the front and the other a side view of the standing dog clearly indicating its distinctive features.

Subject: Application for Renewal of Registration of Pet dog.

Sir,

This is to request you that I am keeping a Pet dog in my House No……., Sector/Area Chandigarh.
Adhaar Card of the applicant.....(attach photocopy).
The particulars of my pet dog are as under:

1. Name of Pet dog :_____
2. Gender-male/Female :_____
3. Breed :_____
4. Colour and identification mark :_____
5. Age (Date of Birth, if any) :_____
6. Immunization record (attach photocopy) :_____
   (by mentioning all recent vaccinations with date &sign./stamp of Veterinary Doctor)

7. Name of Veterinary Doctor :_____
   Address: :_____
   Veterinary Council Registration No. :_____
   Signature of the Veterinary Doctor :_____
   Stamp of Veterinary Doctor :_____
8. Registration No. of Dog :_____
   (Attach photocopy & photo of Token)

I herewith deposit Rs. 50/- in cash. You are requested to renew the registration of my pet dog.

Date:_____ Signature of the Applicant

Name: _____
Mobile No.: _____

For Office Use Only:

Receipt No.: _____
Date: _____

Badge No. allotted to Dog: _____ Signature & Stamp of Issuing Officer of MC Chd.

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Schedule-C

(Pet Dog Death Certificate)

To

The Medical Officer of Health
Municipal Corporation
Chandigarh

Attach two recent passport size photographs of Pet dog - one showing the head/face from the front and the other a side view of the standing dog clearly indicating its distinctive features.

Subject: Submission of Death Certificate of Pet Dog.

Sir,

This is to request you that I am keeping a Pet dog in my House No……., Sector/Area Chandigarh.
Adhaar Card of the applicant.....(attach photocopy).

Particulars of my pet dog are as under:-

1. Name of Pet Dog :_____
2. Registration Number of Pet Dog :_____
3. Gender (Male/Female) :_____
4. Breed :_____
5. Colour & Identification Mark :_____
6. Age (Date of Birth, if any) :_____
7. Date of Death and Cause :_____
8. Name of Veterinary Doctor :_____

   Address :_____

   Veterinary Council Registration Number :_____

   Signature of Veterinary Doctor :_____

   Stamp of Veterinary Doctor

9. Registration No. of other Dog(s) (already registered, if any) :_____

I herewith deposit Rs. 50/- in cash. You are requested to renew the registration of my pet dog.

Date:_____

Signature of the Applicant
Name: _____
Mobile No.: _____

For Office Use Only:
Receipt No.: _____
Date: _____

Badge No. allotted to Dog: _____ Signature & Stamp of Issuing Officer of MC Chd.

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Schedule-I

(Registration to be done for Volunteers / Dog lovers / NGOs)

Passport Size Photograph

1).Name:……

2). Address……

3).*Adhaar Card of the applicant* ..... ……*(attach photocopy).*

4). Contact No……

5). Area(s) in which dog(s) are fed……
……

6). No. of dog(s) taking care of……

7). Registration Certificate of AWBI/SAWB (if any)…… *(attach photocopy).*

I herewith deposit Rs. 100/- in cash. You are requested to register me as volunteer/dog lover/NGO.

Undertaking

"I/We will be responsible for ensuring that the Community dog(s) under our care are fed in the location designated by the lMunicipal Corporation Chandigarh, away from playgrounds, schools, hospitals, places of worship or any other public gathering/crowd. I/We will help in the sterilization of the dogs carried out through NGO/agency hired by Municipal Corporation Chandigarh and if done privately through a Veterinary Practitioner registered with IVC or SVC will submit the report to Municipal Corporation Chandigarh along with attested certificate. I/We comply with the directions of MC officials in case of impounding of dog(s) due to biting or any other relevant matter and if any obstruction in official duties is conducted by me/us shall be liable to face the legal proceedings. Any new dog added to our care will be promptly reported to the authorities. I shall allow the registration authority or any official of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority, to inspect the documents/premises or my dog(s) ensuring access at all reasonable time.

(Signatures)

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Schedule-II

(Registration to be done for ***Pet Breeders****)*

Passport Size Photograph

1).Name:……

2). Residential Address……

3).*Adhaar Card of the applicant* ..... …… *(attach photocopy).*

4). Contact No……

5). Type of animals bred and sold……

6). Address where Animals are kept……
……

7). Allotment Certification of Shop…….. *(attach photocopy).*

8). Registration with Indian Kennel Club (if any)…… *(attach photocopy).*

9). Registration Certificate of SAWB (if any)…… (*attach photocopy*).
……

10). Method for disposal of waste generated……

……

I herewith deposit Rs. 200/- in cash. You are requested to register me as Pet Breeder.

Undertaking

"I will ensure that the animals used for breeding are not the pets kept by the citizens of Chandigarh city in their residences. Additionally all animals will be kept as per the norms under Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Dog Breeding and Marketing) Rules, 2017. If there is any violation, I will be surely responsible for that and follow the directions/Penalty/Punishment whichever will be applicable under the same ACT. I shall not Keep/Breed/Harbor any dog(s) of banned breeds by their actual or other name and shall be liable to be punished as per the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dog Bye-Laws 2025 by the Registration Authority or officials authorized by Registration Authority. Moreover, the waste generated will be disposed off via the proper methods to avoid any insanitary conditions. Detailed records of every animal/services will be kept in orderly manner and produced whenever officials authorized by the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh ask for. I shall allow the registration authority or any official of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority to inspect the documents/premises or my dog(s), and I shall allow that person to ensure and inspect my premises at all reasonable times."

(Signatures)

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Schedule-III

(Registration to be done for Pet Shop Keepers/Owners)

Passport Size Photograph

1).Name:……

2). Residential Address……
……..

3). *Adhaar Card of the applicant*……*(attach photocopy).*

4). Contact No……..

5). Type of animals kept for sale……..

6). Address where Animals are kept……..
……..

7). Allotment Certification of Shop…….. *(attach photocopy).*

8). Method for disposal of waste generated……

……

I herewith deposit Rs. 200/- in cash. You are requested to register me as Pet Shopkeeper/Owner.

Undertaking

"I will ensure that the animals kept for sale are being procured from registered breeder, and no pet animals of Chandigarh Citizens are used for breeding. All animals will be kept as per the norms under Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Pet Shop) Rules, 2018. In case of any violation only I will be responsible for that and follow the directions/Penalty/Punishment whichever will be applicable under the same ACT. I shall not Keep/Breed/Harbor any dog(s) of banned breeds by their actual or other name and shall be liable to be punished as per the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dog Bye-Laws 2025 by the Registration Authority or officials authorized by Registration Authority. Moreover, the waste generated will be disposed off using proper methods to avoid any insanitary conditions. Detailed records of every animal/services will be maintained in orderly manner and produced whenever officials authorized by Municipal Corporation Chandigarh ask for. I shall allow the registration authority or any official of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority to inspect the documents/premises or my dog(s) and I shall allow that person to ensure and inspect my premises at all reasonable times."

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Schedule-IV

(Registration to be done for Dog Trainers)

Passport Size Photograph

1).Name:.....

2). Residential Address.....

.....

3).*Adhaar Card of the applicant*..... .....*(attach photocopy).*

4). Contact No.....

5). Address of Office (if any).....

.....

6). Certificate from recognized Institution/University..... *(attach photocopy).*

7). Experience/Training Certificate..... *(attach photocopy).*

I herewith deposit Rs. 200/- in cash. You are requested to register me as Dog Trainer.

Undertaking

"I will be responsible to ensure that the dog(s) will be under the control via means of leash, muzzle (if needed) and stick at all the times to avoid any unwanted incident and for the safety of public. All animals will be kept as per the norms under Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960. In case of any incident occurring on my watch, I shall be fully responsible and will follow the directions of Municipal Corporation Chandigarh thoroughly. I will keep the dog(s) under my control all the times, so that it does not intimidate, annoy, hurt or bite any person. I shall not make Municipal Corporation responsible for any loss, damage or injury caused by a registered dog(s) to any person or to his/her property and sole liability to compensate the victim will remain with me. I shall allow the registration authority or any official of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority to inspect the documents/premises or my dog(s) and I shall allow that person to ensure and inspect my premises at all reasonable times. I will only provide the training completion certificate to dog owners after I am certain that the dog is properly trained."

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Schedule-V

(Registration to be done for Owner of Dog Hostels/Crèches)

Passport Size Photograph

1).Name:.....

2). Residential Address.....

.....

3).*Adhaar Card of the applicant*..... .....*(attach photocopy).*

4). *Address of dog(s) hostel/crèches*.....

.....

5). *Allotment Certification of Shop/property*.....

..... *(attach photocopies).*

6). Contact No.....

7). Qualification..... *(attach photocopies).*

8). Experience/Training Certificate.....

..... *(attach photocopies).*

9). Details of Kennels available.....

.....

10). Details of employees engaged for dog(s) care and their qualification.....

..... *(attach photocopies).*

*11).*Method for disposal of waste generated.....

.....

I herewith deposit Rs. 200/- in cash. You are requested to register me as owner of Dog Hostel/Crèche.

Undertaking

"I will be responsible for ensuring that the animals kept in hostel/crèches are the pet animals with proper registration. Additionally, all animals will be kept as per the norms under Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960. If there is any violation only I will be responsible for that and follow the directions, Penalties, Punishments whichever will be applicable under the same ACT. I shall not Keep/Breed/Harbor any dog(s) of banned breeds by their actual or other name and shall be liable to be punished as per the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh Pet and Community Dog Bye-Laws 2025 by the Registration Authority or officials authorized by Registration Authority. Moreover, the waste generated will be disposed off via the proper methods to avoid any unsanitary conditions. The detailed records of every animal/services will be kept in orderly manner and produced whenever officials authorized by the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh ask for. I shall allow the registration authority or any official of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority to inspect the documents/premises or my dog(s) and I shall allow that person to ensure and inspect my premises at all reasonable times."

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Schedule-VI

(Registration to be done for Dog Groomers)

Passport Size Photograph

1).Name:.....

2). Residential Address.....

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3).*Adhaar Card of the applicant*..... *(attach photocopy).*

4). Contact No.....

5). Qualification..... *(attach photocopies).*

6). Address of Shop.....

.....

7). Allotment Certification of Shop..... *(attach photocopies).*

8). Experience/Training Certificate..... *(attach photocopies).*

9). Details of employees engaged for dog(s) care and their qualification.....

..... *(attach photocopies).*

10). Method for disposal of waste generated.....

.....

I herewith deposit Rs. 200/- in cash. You are requested to register me as Dog Groomer.

Undertaking

"I will be responsible for ensuring that grooming services are provided only to pets registered with the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh and kept in Chandigarh City. Additionally, all animals will be handled in accordance with the norms under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960. If there is any violation I alone will be responsible for that and follow the directions, Penalties, Punishments applicable under the same ACT. Moreover, the waste generated will be disposed off via proper methods to avoid any unsanitary conditions. The detailed records of every animal/services will be kept in orderly manner and produced whenever officials authorized by the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh request them. I shall allow the registration authority or any official of the Municipal Corporation Chandigarh authorized by the Registration Authority to inspect the documents/premises or my dog(s) and I shall allow that person to ensure and inspect my premises at all reasonable times."

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Schedule-VII Adoption Form

This document is binding and may be used in legal proceedings. Please read carefully before signing.

NOTE: Adopting a dog(s)/pup is a big responsibility. Please make sure you are emotionally and mentally capable of dealing with a new family member who will rely solely on you for his/her care. Proceed further only if you can make a sincere commitment of time and effort and to affect scheduling and lifestyle changes in order to make this a successful adoption.

(Please affix your recent photograph here)

Name:_____ Age:_____ Address:_____

_____

Adhaar Card:_____ *(attach photocopy)*

Mobile:_____ Landline(s):_____ Email:_____

Occupation:_____

Do you currently have any pets? ☐ YES ☐ NO

If YES then please specify (number/breed/age/gender) _____

INFORMATION ABOUT ADOPTED ANIMAL Species/breed/gender of the pet: _____

Pet's name: _____ Age of the pet [weeks/months/years]: _____

Description of pet [colour, identification marks etc.]: _____

I agree that all statements I have made on this form are true and if it is found that any statements that, I have made in this form are not true, the MC Chandigarh may re-evaluate the adoption certificate.

I DO, HEREBY SOLEMNLY AFFIRM, SAY AND UNDERTAKE THAT

I shall take all reasonable measures to ensure the well-being of the pet, and to prevent the unnecessary pain & suffering that may be caused deliberately or negligently;

I shall get the adopted pet registered with local authority (as applicable).

I will proactively take all measures to understand and provide the dietary & veterinary needs of the pet in my care;

I have read this entire document and fully understand both the contract and my responsibility for this dog(s)/puppy;

I am able and prepared to offer this dog(s)/puppy a loving home for the entire duration of his/her lifespan.

Adopter's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Adopter's Full Name: _____

Name & Sign of Volunteer/Dog Lover/NGO's Representative: _____

_____

Signature & Stamp of the SPCA's Veterinary Doctor Date: _____

_____

Signature & stamp of the Officer/Official of the MC Chandigarh Date: _____

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Schedule-VIII

For Registration Fee, Obligations and Fines thereof charged by Municipal Corporation Chandigarh.

Sr. No.	**Type of Applicant**	**Registration Fee applicable**	**Obligations**	**Fine(s), in case of violations/non- compliance**
1.	Pet dog(s) Owner	Rs. 500/- per pet dog *(Rs.50/- per pet dog as renewal fees on 5 yearly basis)*	Clause No. 3 (a) (b) (c) and Undertaking	Rs. 500/- per dog. In case of continued violation Penalty + Impounding of dog(s).
2.	Pet dog(s) Owner	--------*NA*-------	Clause No. 4 (a)	*Rs. 500/- per dog.*
3.	Pet dog(s) Owner	--------*NA*-------	Clause No. 4 (b)	*Rs. 500/- per dog.*
4.	Pet dog(s) Owner	--------*NA*-------	Clause No. 4 (c)	*Rs. 500/- per dog.*
5.	Pet dog(s) Owner	--------*NA*--------	Clause No. 4 (d) and Clause No. 23 (c)	*Rs. 500/- + Impounding of dog(s) for behavioral Observance and Legal Action as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.*
6.	Pet dog(s) Owner	--------*NA*-------	Clause No. 4 (e)	*Rs. 500/- per dog + Impounding of dog(s).*
7.	Pet dog(s) Owner	--------*NA*------	Clause No. 5	*Rs. 500/- per dog.*
8.	Pet dog(s) Owner	-------*NA*-------	Clause No. 6 and Clause No. 23 (c)	*Rs. 500/- per dog+ Impounding of dog(s).*
9.	Pet dog(s) Owner	------*NA*--------	Clause No. 7	*Rs. 500/- per dog+ Impounding of dog(s).*
10.	Pet dog(s) Owner	------*NA*--------	Clause No. 8	*Rs.500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges)* as defined in *Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules.*
11.	Pet dog(s) Owner	------*NA*--------	Clause No. 9	*Cruelty/Cruelties mentioned are punishable under section 11 of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Act 1960.*

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12.	Pet dog(s) Owner	------*NA*--------	Clause No. 11	*Rs. 500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges) as defined in Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules.*
13.	Pet dog(s) Owner	-------*NA*-------	Clause No. 23 (a) & (b) and Clause No. 24	*Violations done 4 times a calendar year the registration will be canceled + Impounding of Dog(s).*
14.	Pet dog(s) Owner	------*NA*--------	Clause No. 23 (d)	*Rs. 500/- + Impounding of dog(s) for behavioral Observance and Legal Action as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.*
15.	Volunteers/Dog Lovers	*Rs. 100/- and need to renew on 5 year basis.*	Clause No. 12, Schedule-I and Undertaking	*Rs. 500/- in case of violating the terms of undertaking or failure to renew registration/posing fake identity/claim of being a volunteer/dog lover. And Cancellation of Registration in case of repeated (i.e. 4 times in a calendar year) violations by registered volunteers/dog lovers.*
16.	Volunteers/Dog Lovers/ Caregivers/ Occasional Feeders	-------*NA*-------	Clause No. 18 (2) & Clause No. 19 (1) (2)	*Rs. 500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges) as defined in Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules. And Legal Action as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.*
17.	NGO's	*Rs. 100/- and need to renew on 5 year basis.*	Clause No. 12, Schedule-I and Undertaking	*Rs. 500/- in case of violating the terms of undertaking or failure to renew registration/posing fake identity/claim of being an NGO. And Cancellation of Registration in case of repeated (i.e. 4 times in a calendar year) violations by registered NGO.*
18.	Pet Breeders	*Rs. 200/- per year and need to renew on yearly basis.*	Clause No. 13, Schedule-II and Undertaking	*Rs. 500/- for non-registration and in case of violation, Rs. 500/- Penalty/Impounding of dog(s)/both.*

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				In case of repeated violations (i.e. 4 times in a calendar year), Cancellation of Registration.
19.	Pet Breeders	-------*NA*------	Proper Disposal of Waste generated as per undertaking.	*Rs. 500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges) as defined in Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules.*
20.	Pet Breeders	-------*NA*------	Clause No. 9	*Cruelty/Cruelties mentioned are punishable under section 11 of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Act 1960.*
21.	Pet Breeders	------*NA*-------	Clause No. 23 (d)	*And Legal Action as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.*
22.	Pet Shop Keepers/ Owners	*Rs. 200/- per year and need to renew on yearly basis.*	Clause No. 14, Schedule-III and Undertaking and Clause No. 23 (b)	*Rs. 500/- for non-registration and in case of violation, Rs. 500/- Penalty/Impounding of dog(s)/both.* *In case of repeated violations (i.e. 4 times in a calendar year), Cancellation of Registration.*
23.	Pet Shop Keepers/ Owners	--------*NA*------	Proper Disposal of Waste generated as per undertaking.	*Rs. 500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges) as defined in Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules.*
24.	Pet Shop Keepers/ Owners	--------*NA*------	Clause No. 9	*Cruelty/Cruelties mentioned are punishable under section 11 of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Act 1960.*
25.	Pet Shop Keepers/ Owners	-------*NA*-------	Clause No. 23 (d)	*Rs. 500/- + Impounding of dog(s) for behavioral Observance and Legal Action as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.*
26.	Dog Trainers	*Rs. 200/- per year and need to renew on yearly basis.*	Clause No. 15, Schedule-IV and Undertaking and Clause No. 23 (b)	*Rs. 500/- for non-registration and in case of violation, Rs. 500/- Penalty/Impounding of dog(s)/both.* *In case of repeated violations (i.e. 4 times in a calendar year), Cancellation of Registration.*

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27.	Dog Hostels/ crèches	*Rs. 200/- per year and need to renew on yearly basis.*	Clause No. 16, Schedule-V and Undertaking and Clause No. 23 (b)	*Rs. 500/- for non-registration and in case of violation, Rs. 500/- Penalty/Impounding of dog(s)/both.* *In case of repeated violations (i.e. 4 times in a calendar year), Cancellation of Registration.*
28.	Dog Hostels/ crèches	-------*NA*------	Proper Disposal of Waste generated as per undertaking.	*Rs. 500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges) as defined in Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules.*
29.	Dog Hostels/ crèches	-------*NA*-------	Clause No. 9	*Cruelty/Cruelties mentioned are punishable under section 11 of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Act 1960.*
30.	Dog Hostels/ crèches	-------*NA*-------	Clause No. 23 (d)	*Rs. 500/- + Impounding of dog(s) for behavioral Observance and Legal Action as per the relevant provisions of the law as applicable.*
31.	Dog Groomers	*Rs. 200/- per year and need to renew on yearly basis.*	Clause No. 17, Schedule-VI and Undertaking	*Rs. 500/- for non-registration and in case of violation, Rs. 500/- Penalty/Impounding of dog(s)/both.* *In case of repeated violations (i.e. 4 times in a calendar year), Cancellation of Registration.*
32.	Dog Groomers	-------*NA*-------	Proper Disposal of Waste generated as per undertaking.	*Rs. 500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges) as defined in Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules.*
33.	Keeping/ Breeding/ Harboring of banned breed dog(s)	-------*NA*--------	Clause 20 (c)	*Rs. 500/- per dog + Impounding of dog(s)*
34.	Littering	-------*NA*-------	Avoid littering to ensure cleanliness at the designated place of feeding. Clause No. 18 & 19.	*Rs. 500+9500/- (fine + administrative charges) as defined in Municipal Corporation Chandigarh violation under "Solid Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2018" Bye-Law 13 (i) read with Rule 15(g) of SWM Rules.*

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35.	Continuation of Violation	*Additional Charges @ Rs. 20/- per dog per day.*	Clause No. 23 (a) & (b)	----------*NA*----------
36.	Impounded Pet Dogs	*Maintenance charges @ Rs. 250/- per dog per day.*	Clause No. 22 and Clause No. 23 (a) & (b) and Clause No. 24	*In case the dog is not claimed within 10 days the registration will be canceled and dog will be out for open sale/adoption through any registered Volunteer/Dog-Lover/NGO along with fine/charges as applicable.*

The registration authority shall levy and collect penalty charges from violators. If a violator fails to pay the penalty within 10 days at the office of the Medical Officer of Health, Municipal Corporation Chandigarh (MCC), the MCC shall follow the following recovery procedure:

- The MCC shall add the outstanding amount to the violator's water bill.
- If the violator does not have a water bill, the MCC shall add the outstanding amount to the violator's property tax.
- If the violator does not have property tax, the MCC shall recover the outstanding amount as an arrear of land revenue under the Punjab Revenue Act, as applicable to the Union Territory of Chandigarh.

Any violation under these bye-laws may be compounded either before or after the institution of the challan, by the Medical Officer of Health of Municipal Corporation Chandigarh, subject to payment of the compounded amount by the person.

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AMIT KUMAR, IAS
Commissioner,
Municiapl Corporation,
Chandigarh.

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CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION
TECHNICAL EDUCATION BRANCH

ORDER

The 10th October, 2025

No. 11/23/152-(57117)-IH(10)-2025/16206.—The Administrator, Union Territory Chandigarh is pleased to order that the Secretary Technical Education (Vice Chairman) will preside over the meetings of BoG as per Bye-Laws 5(B), 4 of PEC (Deemed to be University) till further orders.

Administrator
Union Territory, Chandigarh

Dated : The 7th October, 2025

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, Dosh Nath S/o Bhagirathi R/o # 348/2, Small Flats Maloya Chandigarh, have changed my name to Doodh Nath.

[1826-1]

I, Seema Thakur W/o Anil Singh Rawat R/o # 164, Colony No. 2, Khudda Lahora Chandigarh, have changed my name to Seema Thakur Rawat.

[1827-1]

I, Bhavna D/o Sh. Lalit Kumar R/o House No. 2767, Mauli Jagran Complex Chandigarh, have changed my name from Bhavna to Bhawna Kushwaha.

[1828-1]

I, Imrish Singh Pander S/o Gurdial Singh Pandher R/o House No. 1156, Sector 36-C, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Imrish Singh.

[1829-1]

I, Guman Singh Rawat S/o Bhawani Singh Rawat R/o # 1123, Phase-2, Ramdarbar Chandigarh, have changed my name to Mukesh Rawat.

[1830-1]

I, Kashyap Gupta S/o Ishwar Chand R/o # 3397, Sector 19-D, Chandigarh, have changed my name from Kashyap Gupta to Keshav Singla.

[1831-1]

I, Ajay Kumar Singh S/o Sh. Ram Shiromani Singh R/o H. No. 1218, Chaman Colony, Dhanas, Chandigarh, have changed my name from Ajay Kumar Singh to Ajay Kumar.

[1832-1]

I, Prabh Dayal Manhotra S/o Gian Chand R/o # 1781-B, Sector 43-B, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Prabh Dayal.

[1833-1]

I, Pinky Rai W/o Deepu Shah R/o # 667, Village Daria Chandigarh, have changed my name to Pinky Shah.

[1834-1]

I, Anuradha *alias* Anuradha Thakur Verma W/o Gaurav Verma R/o # E1-79, Panjab University, Sector 14, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Anuradha Thakur.

[1835-1]

I, Purnendu Paria S/o Bhanu Pharia R/o House No. 504, Sector 10-C, Chandigarh, have changed my name from Punnu Phria to Purnendu Paria.

[1836-1]

I, Ali Mohammed S/o Mahendi Hasan R/o # 229, Milk Colony, Dhanas, Sector 14 West Chandigarh-160014, have changed my name from Ali Mohammad to Ali Mohammed. All concerned please note.

[1837-1]

I, Nutan D/o Late Shri Gurbachan Lal W/o Shri Pritam Kakkar R/o # 293, Sector 41-A, Chandigarh, have changed my name from Nutan to Nutan Kakkar.

[1838-1]

I, Manoj Kumar Verma S/o Sh. C.L. Verma R/o House No. 180, Sector 23-A, Chandigarh, have changed my name from Manoj Kumar Verma to Manoj Kumar.

[1839-1]

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I, Shiv Kumar S/o Ram Naresh R/o # 5203, Modern Complex Manimajra Chandigarh, have changed my minor daughter name from Sora Chaudhary to Swara Choudhary.

[1840-1]

I, Gajender Singh S/o Survir Singh R/o House No. 3116/2, Sector 41-D, Chandigarh, have changed my minor daughter name from Himant Thakur to Himani Thakur.

[1841-1]

I, Gurjeet Singh S/o Partap Singh # 4602, Sector 46-D, Chandigarh, have changed my minor daughter name from Manet to Mannat.

[1842-1]

I, Jeeya Pandey D/o Hem Raj R/o 1643, Near Killa, Manimajra, Chandigarh, do have change my name from Jeeya Pandey to jeeya.

[1843-1]

I, Santosh Mishra S/o Hari Narayan Mishra R/o 937, Deep Complex, Hallo Majra, Chandigarh-160002, have changed my name to Santosh Kumar Mishra.

[1844-1]

I, Bimla Rani W/o Krishan Pal R/o # 1590, Sector 45, Burail Chandigarh, have changed my name from Bimla Rani to Bimla.

[1845-1]

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